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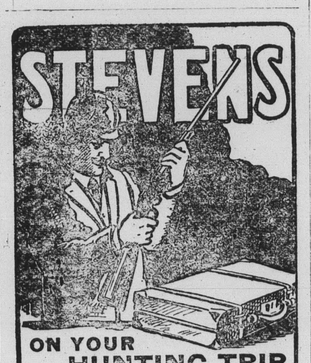

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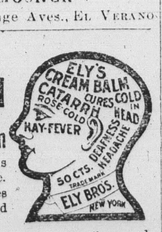

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An Ounce of Prevention

By SUSIE BOUCHELLE WIGHT

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"Now, Tom, dear," said little Mrs. Ellis, handing him a cup of coffee, "I have something serious to say to you."

"Yes?" Mr. Ellis' tone was notably absentminded. He was looking at the alluring curve of her soft white arm. She had the cunningest way of giving her big sleeves a twitch to keep them out of the way as she passed anything at table, and this morning the sleeve was a great silken one embroidered with Japanese iris. However, for her own good her husband had not told her all her attractions for him. Not knowing his train of thought, she observed only the preoccupation in his tone. This confirmed her in the wisdom of her determination, but it also gave her a queer little disposition to let down the corners of her mouth.

"Well, it is only this, Tom," she proceeded, her eyes studiously avoiding his. Preoccupation in his tone was bad enough; to recognize it in his eyes would be intolerable. "You see, we have been staying so closely together since the wedding, now three whole months. Aren't you just a little afraid we are overdoing the devoted? When I see so many married couples who are just as happy away from each other, or more so, I dread the time"— Her lip quivered, but this time Mr. Ellis was giving his attention to the smooth whiteness of her neck. He did not answer, and in a moment she went on in a steadier voice, "You remember the 'ounce of prevention,' dear?"

"Worth a pound of patent medicine, isn't it?" he replied frivolously, and when she proceeded gravely her voice had shaded down to actual wistfulness.

"For fear, Tom, that our happiness should lose some of its tone in such constant association as ours I have been thinking that maybe it would be better not to see each other quite so often. I couldn't bear to see that you were growing tired of me"—

"Her infinite variety," he began to quote, but she interrupted him with a lift of the kimono clad arm that set his thoughts adrift again. "We must consider the subject seriously, dear," she said softly and plaintively. "Suppose we plan deliberately to keep new to each other by taking some of our pleasures away from each other."

"Goodness, Betty!" he exclaimed. "I thought we were married in order to enjoy ourselves together."

"We did, but see how people get after a few years! The Thomases, now, for instance—how different they are! And yet I am old enough to remember that they were perfectly selfish together at first. There are the Ripleys too. They are congenial and apparently the best of friends, but Mrs. Ripley doesn't seem to mind at all that her husband spends the greater part of his time away from her. It is only that I dread such a phase in our life."

He looked at her in surprise. Who would have thought her capable of such serious consideration of a life problem—this pretty creature of sunshine and smiles? Just then a thought popped into his mind. Suppose she were already getting tired—just a little bored with him! It would be like her to contrive some tactful way of telling him. And then Betty had been a belle; there had been a score of fellows dancing attendance upon her, even up to the very day of the wedding. Perhaps she was feeling dull, and no wonder, with such a poor stick as he as her only companion, even if she did love him as she professed. He pondered a few moments, making a great sacrifice, while trivially engaged in sipping his fragrant breakfast coffee. When he spoke his tone was cheerful.

"Well, Betty darling," he remarked, "that had not occurred to me until you spoke, but you are right. There is danger of overdoing the devoted, and we mustn't get tired of each other—we just must not! I have not been to the club—not since the wedding. I will go there to dinner this evening, and you must accept one of your numerous invitations. You have Dolly to go with you, and I will send a carriage to be at your disposal for the evening."

"Yes," acquiesced Betty in a small voice, keeping her eyes upon her plate. She had not expected her ideas to be adopted with so little protest, and it was not cheering to find herself so correct in her forethought.

He looked at her sharply for a moment, then came over to her side of the table and kissed her goodby most affectionately. She longed to tell him that it would seem like a month for him to be gone until late that evening before she should see him again, but no—if he was already feeling the pull of the silken chain that bound them together she must not let him know that she was aware of it. She sprang merrily up, went with him to the door, chattering about this and that, as though her every thought was not of the evening that was going to be so lonely without him. When he turned back at the corner for a last look the wave of her small hand was positively hilarious.

The day crept by. At first her impulse was to remain quietly at home for the evening, but he was going to the club, and she must not be behind him in carrying out the plan.

She accepted Mrs. Ripley's invitation to hear Nordica with her. In the afternoon she dressed and went to a tea, wasted some hours over a visit to her dressmaker and when evening finally came she arrayed herself for the sacrifice. It was no fun at all to fluff out her golden hair when there was no one there but Dolly to remark upon the effect, and then Dolly was painfully matter of fact. She would wear the violet silk with the yellow lace cascades, even if there was nobody there to tell her it was the prettiest dress that ever a pretty woman wore. It was a sort of solemn satisfaction to be making herself lovely without the encouragement of an admirer sitting over in that big chair, his knee over the arm and a cigar in his mouth, but at the mental picture she smothered an irrelevant sob. Dolly looked at her acutely.

"I—believe I am about to take cold," faltered the little mistress mendaciously. "My—my throat feels so queer."

When she entered the box and threw her great white cloak in a luxurious heap in the chair behind her, Mrs. Ripley glanced over her with a look of decided approval.

"You were never prettier, Betty," she whispered, "and then it is so sensible of you not to be foolish about having Tom Ellis dangling after you everywhere you go."

"That is what we agreed only this morning," said Betty in a burst of confidence, and then she grew suddenly silent.

Her eyes, sweeping the crowded house, had fallen upon Tom Ellis in a group of men down near the footlights. As the moments went on she began to feel aggrieved that he did not even glance toward the Ripley box, although he surely had known of the invitation. She was glad when the music began, because her throat still had that queer feeling, and her lips wanted to tremble. Nordica's superb presence and her singing failed for the first time to absorb Betty's attention. She would not look again at that group down near the stage, but she could not keep from seeing them in her mind's eye. She was glad there were others in the box who felt like talking. She did not want Mrs. Ripley to regard her too closely after the drop of the curtain. The hum of conversation began in a moment, and she half turned toward those near her, seeming to listen, although she heard not a word. Still she would not look below her.

"Boo!" came a frivolous exclamation at her shoulder, and she started violently. The rich blood surged into her face. She did not need to see whose hand was resting on her arm.

"Why, Betty Ellis," cried one gay voice, "you don't mean to tell me you are actually blushing over Tom, you ancient married woman, you! The blushes are for the buds."

"Then they are for Betty," said Tom gallantly. "What rosebud ever looked sweeter than she does this minute?"

"Tom!" she remonstrated, and he laughed and sat down beside her.

When the others were absorbed in themselves again he whispered to her: "Forgive me, Betty, if I bored you by coming. I just couldn't help it. I had forgotten all about the Ripley invitation until I saw you in the box. I came along just to be doing something."

"Don't," she begged, and the eyes that were lifted to his were full of tears. He covered her hand a moment with his and waited; then, when she had slyly wiped the moisture from her lids and had swallowed that troublesome lump, she whispered: "I was just mistaken after all. I don't believe in preventive measures like this. We are not tired yet. Let's just wait until we are."

"Done, Betty!" he agreed rapturously. "You are so sensible!"

"Sensible!" interrupted Mrs. Ripley, turning quickly at the word, which had drifted to her ears. "Isn't she so, Tom? I was just telling her a little while ago that she was most remarkably so."

The two accepted the unmerited praise unblushingly and looked at each other with a happy laugh.

Stories From Java.

In Java the European "resident" of a government station is a very important personage, to whom great homage is rendered by the natives. A story is told of one resident who was thrown out of his dogcart while descending a hill. He had barely recovered from the stunning fall when he caught sight of his secretary—who had been following in his own carriage—coming bounding down the steep road like a big india rubber ball, rolling over and over in the dust. "Hello, have you been upset too?" asked the resident. "No, resident," sputtered the fat little secretary, scrambling to his feet again, "but I thought if the resident leaps I leap too."

During a cholera scare another resident invited a widow to remove to a high hill as a precaution against the disease. She, however, said that she thought her time to die had come, and as her husband had been a person of importance in his lifetime she asked only for the inestimable privilege of having her grave dug next to the resident's own.—Chicago News.

The Cunning Girl.

Once upon a time there was a cunning little girl who had three strings to her bow or three beaux to her—but you may state it as you please—and she treated them so shrewdly that each one thought he was the own and only. She was a very cunning little girl, was she not? Yes, but after a time each one of the three began to nurture a dark suspicion that he was being played with, and so they went away and began to go with Susan Boggs and Mary Jones and other girls, and now the cunning little girl is an old, old maid, who feels very sorry that she was so cunning, and this is all there is to the story except the—

Moral.—Cunning little girls who play with the fire too long may find in the end that they have less flame than they had when the fire was brightest.—San Francisco Call.

OLDEN TIME PENALTIES.

Charges of the Days When Criminals Were Boiled In Oil.

The subjoined record, extracted from the archives of old Paris, possesses sufficient interest to warrant its publication. Our readers will see from it what a terrible thing the capital penalty was in former days and at the same time learn that the gentlemen who acted as executioners, with their assistants and torturers, did not labor for glory alone:

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To burning a sorceress alive	28
To flaying a living man	28
To drowning a child murderess in a sack	24
To burying a suicide at crossroads	20
To applying the torture	4
To applying the thumbscrew	2
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To cutting off the nose, the ears or the tongue	10

—London Lancet.

Odd Plight of a Deer.

"Strange accidents will sometimes happen to deer," writes a Scotch hunter. "A hind in Caithness came to some crofter's hut near the forest and was poking about to see if there was anything she could pick up when she found an old tin pail lying in some out of the way corner. In went her nose and down came the handle behind her ears. Then somehow the whole pail slipped down her neck, and there she was, caught. She was seen several times with her strange necklace, which prevented her from drinking or feeding properly. The clatter when she got under way was tremendous, and the other deer were frightened for miles. Several unsuccessful attempts were made on her life, but I never heard the sequel. Anyhow, she must have died soon from nervous prostration, coupled with the shock, or from some ladylike disease of that sort."

The Luxurious Romans.

The Romans had no flower shows. There were "bread and circuses," but not bread and flowers. The luxurious Roman used roses in enormous quantities at his banquets. It was a fine joke to have roses fall from above on guests reclining at their tables and the flowers in such quantities as to smother them. A writer recalls a picture of Alma-Tadema's "The Rose Feast of Elagabalus," which shows the superabundance of roses. To spend on a banquet in roses 4,000,000 sesterces, equivalent to about $160,000, is recorded by Suetonius, but possibly Suetonius exaggerates.

Hereditary Names.

According to the invariable custom of the Duke of Richmond's family, it is prescribed that the eldest son and the eldest son of the eldest son shall be named after King Charles II., to whom they owe so much. The same principle is preserved in Lord Salisbury's family, where the eldest sons are named James, after James I., who bestowed the earldom of Salisbury and viscounty of Cranborne on the original founder of the house.—London Graphic.

The Liberty Boys.

The name of Liberty Boys is the name by which the Sons of Liberty of the American Revolution were familiarly known. They were the men who fought the first battles of the colonists, who opposed the stamp act and participated in the Boston tea party. A flag hoisted upon the flagstaff that stood beside Liberty tree, in Hanover square, Boston, was the signal at which they assembled.

Let go or die. That's the alternative of the shipwrecked man with the money bags. A great many people have a like alternative before them. Business men come to a point where the doctor tells them that they must "let go or die." Probably he advised a sea voyage or mountain air. There's an obstinate cough that won't be shaken off. The lungs are weak and perhaps bleeding. There is emaciation and other symptoms of disease, which if unskilfully or improperly treated terminate in consumption.

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The Reading Public.

This is a great age for the reading public. There has always been a demand for books and writing, but to-day the demand is very noticeable. We notice it in the number of libraries being founded, in the demand for the establishment of libraries, in the patronage of libraries, in the quantities of books being turned out, in the remarkable prices paid by some publishers to popular writers, in the increased prestige of the press and in the fact that ministers are sermonizing through the newspapers instead of from the pulpit.

People read for information and for pleasure and the writings of to-day influence the views to-morrow. The magazine is supposed to have within its covers the supply of reading matter demanded by the average reader of to-day. From this fact we glean that the average reader likes opinions on current topics, book reviews, fiction either humorous or romantic, a sprinkling of poetry and some biography. Current topics are carried, of course, by the daily press, but the discussion of events and opinion of affairs come within the jurisdiction of the weeklies and the magazines. Book reviews are an index to what is being read and talked of and what is worth while to read. They save the busy reading public from wading through a lot of trash. The book reviewer weeds out the undesirable and sets forth the good from the bad in his reviews.

The demand for fiction is the greatest of all. The average reader reads to be amused and so good stories with bright repartee and interesting plots are eagerly sought for by the reading public. If a writer becomes popular and his books are in demand his name is a guarantee to whatever cover it appears on New stories by Jack London, for instance, are to-day being keenly looked forward to, and anything which bears his name is a good seller. So with Winston Churchill, whom it is claimed was paid $40,000 for his latest book. The elements in the literature of to-day which seem to appeal to the public are love, physical prowess and humor. The popular books contain some one or all of these elements. The fashion for poetry is antique and outside the compulsory reading of standard poets, even our university students do not read poetry. This is indeed a prosaic age. Poetry went out of style in this country with the minuet, for this is "the game," the two-step and rag-time epoch. The demand for biography is the demand of conservatives who want to know about the lives of men who are or have been in public life.

Andrew Carnegie has done much good with his money in founding so many libraries and has given the benefit of his generosity to thousands of people. Perhaps in no other way could he have benefited a larger number of his fellows.

The success of the newspaper and the power of the press is greater than ever. The newspaper readers outnumber all others, and so the newspaper's value as an advertising medium is apparent as is also its value as a moulder of public opinion. We have not yet the ideal newspaper, but we will never universally realize that until we have an ideal public.

And now comes Rev. Owen Lovejoy, Secretary of the National Child Labor Committee, and declares that President Roosevelt is all wrong in promulgating his theory of race suicide. It is certainly a fact that what America wants is better fed, better clothed, better educated children. Quantity will take care of itself, what we want too look out for is the quality. The children of to-day are the men and women of to-morrow. It is a poor outlook for children to be born in poverty, to be raised on the streets, to be worked in the sweat shops. What kind of men and women do such children make? Too often they become men with pessimistic views of life, ready recruits for the ranks of malcontents, broken in spirit and health—poor citizens indeed for the American republic. There are cases, of course, where children will rise out of the depths, but most of us follow the line of least resistance and are greatly influenced by environment. What good are our schools if there are so many children in a family that a father can't provide enough food, let alone shoes and books? What good are child-labor laws when children must work to live? The race suicide doctrine is an excellent one for the successful man to heed, but one must needs have achieved success before he should hearken to it. We should aim to reduce the struggle for existence, not make that more strenuous, for it is bad enough now with the influx of immigrants competing with the American wage-earner. If this generation aims to be successful and accomplishes so much the race suicide theory can then, if necessary, be safely promulgated.

The Sonoma Valley Woman's Club should be encouraged in its latest efforts to create a substantial fund for Plaza improvement after the completion of the New City Hall. The fund has already been started and the money will remain intact and be added to from time to time until practical work can be begun.

The German scientist who has succeeded in producing a higher percentage of iron in eggs through scientific feeding of hens claims they will be of great medicinal value. They will undoubtedly, but with age and iron, too, we pity the bad actor.

The manly ars of self-defense is of no use when it comes to the womanly art of breach of promise. Such is probably the opinion of Battling Nelson, who has been sued by a charmer for the second time.

The custom of holding annually the Citrus Fair at Cloverdale is bound to eventually attract attention to Sonoma county's tropical climate.

The turning down of pugilists by the fashionable hotels of New York will remind our youths that prize fighters are not such idols after all.

Will Congress Abdicate Function?

(From an address by former Secretary of State Richard Olney.)

Is it unlawful for a railroad to aid in developing a practically uninhabited territory and to make rates for the carriage of persons and property which will induce the peopling of the territory and the exploitation of its resources? In this way the West has been built up and wildernesses have been transformed into the seats of thriving and growing populations. Is it unlawful for a railroad, with equipment not otherwise usable and for reasons of business economy purely, to take and carry freight at prices which will no more than pay the cost of wheel grease? Is it unlawful for the railroads to make such rates and to so carry on business generally that the return on the railroad capital invested shall be reasonably remunerative and not disproportionate to the return on other investments of capital?

As the production of the country greatly exceeds its power of consumption, and our farmers and manufacturers have pressing need of over sea markets, is it lawful for the railroads to make lower rates on commodities destined for domestic use? Is it unlawful for railroads to so adjust their rates that trade and commerce and the prosperity that goes with them shall be diffused rather than concentrated on a single locality, and that many ports unequal in natural advantages shall be enabled to share in the traffic and the business which would otherwise be congested in a single port?

None of these things is unlawful pe se. Whether or not they shall be so is matter of State policy, of political wisdom, and presents questions for decision by statesmanship of the highest order. To refer their decision to the Interstate Commerce Commission, by giving it the general jurisdiction over all rates through its power to set aside any rate as unreasonable and substitute another, is an abdication by Congress of most important functions. Any such abdication is to be deprecated—and not merely because in all probability violative of the Constitution. Whatever be the right of Congress in the premises an abiding sense of duty and responsibility should compel it to decide for itself questions so vitally affecting the general welfare of the whole country.

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J. M. McGIMSEY.
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Dated at Sonoma, Cal., December 20th, 1905.

Notice of Time and Place for Proving Will.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND for the County of Sonoma, State of California. In the matter of the estate of FRANK HUBER, deceased. No. 4034.

Notice is hereby given, that Monday, the 15th day of January, A. D., 1906, at 10 o'clock A. M., of said day, and the court room of said Superior Court, in Department One thereof, in the City of Santa Rosa, County of Sonoma, State of California, is hereby fixed and appointed as the time and place for proving the Will of said Frank Huber, deceased, and for the hearing by the Court of the application of John B. Riebli for the issuance to him of Letters Testamentary thereon.

Dated December 23d, A. D. 1905.

[Seal] FRED. L. WRIGHT, Clerk.
By L. A. Pressley, Deputy Clerk.

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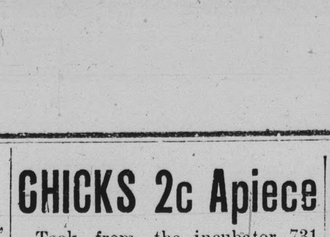

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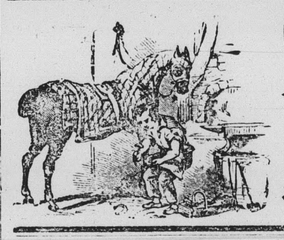

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The Dal Pagetto building has been replastered this week.

Hunting notices printed at this office. The very latest form.

The new concrete sidewalk in front of the Sonoma House is an improvement on the property.

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J. Chauvet contemplates erecting a three-story brick hotel at Glen Ellen.

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Wanted—District Managers to post signs, advertise and distribute samples. Salary $18.00 weekly, $3.00 per day for expenses. State age and present employment. Ideal Shear Co., 39 Randolph Street, Chicago. ja13 4m

The brick plant at Glen Ellen is said to be clearing $100 per day and all the brick turned out finds a ready market. The concern is owned by the California Brick and Pottery Company in which J. Chauvet of Glen Ellen has 70,000 shares.

The Bundschu-Gundlach Company has issued handsome New Year greetings in the form of pamphlets containing original song and verse by Chas. Bundschu and bright translations from the German. We acknowledge, with thanks, one of the souvenirs, also a handsome Bacchus calendar for 1906.

The Koots Bros. came down from Kenwood, the latter part of last week with their pack of nine hounds, and accompanied by B. F. Pinder, spent several days in hunting coyotes on Mrs. Snyder's cattle range in Lovall Valley. Several coyotes were seen but the dogs succeeded in capturing one only. A number of foxes and other "varmints" were also run to earth and killed.

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WEDDING COMES AS PLEASANT SURPRISE

Miss Ella Monahan Quietly Married in San Francisco at St. Mary's Church

Miss Ella Monahan, the young and pretty daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. Monahan of the Mervyn Hotel at Glen Ellen, surprised her many friends by going quietly to San Francisco last Tuesday, where she became the bride of Walter Nottingham at St. Mary's Catholic Church.

Miss Monahan had been engaged since Christmas and her family were talking of having a big wedding when the happy event would be solemnized but the pretty bride-elect did not like the idea and told them she would give them all a surprise. They did not know when it was coming but she arranged a trip to San Francisco Tuesday, where the marriage was solemnized. Immediately after the ceremony the young couple phoned to Mr. and Mrs O'Rourke that they had been married. Mr. Nottingham, the lucky groom, is a boss steam fitter and one of the most highly thought of employees of the Royal Steam Fitting Works of San Francisco. He has been working at the Home for some months past and while there met the fair Glen Ellen girl who is now his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Nottingham will reside in San Francisco.

Klondike Anderson Again in Court.

Chas J. Anderson, the Klondiker who is so well known here, has been brought into the courts again in the trial of the suit on Monday in San Francisco instituted by his sister against him for $5,000 which she claims he promised her if she would leave Dawson City, where she was a waitress, and go to her home.

Anderson says he is not able to pay the money and maintained that he meant Sweden when he made the proposition of going home to his sister. She says she understood he meant Frisco but declares she will go to Sweden if she gets the money.

The case was submitted.

Trial Jurors Selected

The following gentlemen from Sonoma and Glen Ellen townships have been selected by Supervisor Blair Hart to serve as trial jurors:

Sonoma—J. D. Wagnon, William Trudgen, L. Quartaroli, A. W. Weaver, W. J. Minkel, Wm. McElroy, Otto W. Gericke, B. F. Campbell, Chas. S. Cutter, N. R Knight.

Glen Ellen—Frank Lemoine, J. W. Brand, A. E. Gaige, R. P. Hill, Andrew Anderson.

Death of a Young Man.

Gregory Skelly, thirty-three years of age a son of the late Michael Skelly a wealthy contractor of San Francisco, died suddenly Monday at the Bellevue Hotel in El Verano. Death was due to heart failure. He was an heir to $3,500,000 left by his father and received a monthly allowance. He had been here for several months for his health. The remains were shipped to San Francisco.

Skelly leaves a widow, Helna Skelly of San Francisco, also five children. His funeral took place Thursday.

Congregational Church

Rev. Mr. Cragin, pastor of the Congregational Church, will occupy the pulpit to-morrow (Sunday) morning and will also deliver a sermon in the evening. The subject in the morning will be "How to Determine Character." "Loving Guardianship," will be the theme in the evening. The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs will attend the services in the evening.

Will Hunt Ducks

Deputy County Clerk J. W. Ford will come down from Santa Rosa to-day and will be the guest of Jos. Keechler, Superintendent of the Pacific Reclamation Company's ranch at McGill's. Jack will spend a couple of days on the ranch duck shooting, and as the recent storm has driven the birds inland from the bay shores his chances for bagging the limit are good.

New Cash Register for sale at a bargain. Apply at this office.

Bank Elects Officers

The following officers of the Sonoma Valley Bank were elected to serve for the ensuing year at a meeting of the directors held in the 10th inst:

President, Frank M. Burris; Vice President, F. T. Duhring; Cashier, Jesse Burris. Directors, P. H. Thompson, Wm. E. McConnell, F. M. Burris, Jesse Burris, F. T. Duhring.

EL VERANO.

By Happy Hooligan.

J. Albert Dutil visited his folks here Sunday.

James Sterling visited friends here Tuesday.

E. L. McGinty visited San Francisco Monday.

Several of our townspeople are laid up with the grippe.

P. Rossi and wife have recovered from severe attacks of la grippe.

F. A. Riser returned from Tancred, Yolo county, last Monday.

John Laughonyou is recovering from a severe attack of la grippe.

John Lounibos, Chas. Danieli and Peter Forni visited Napa last Monday on business.

Louis Odone, who recently sold out his business here, left for Los Banos Monday morning.

Miss Dawn Weaver returned home Sunday after spending several days in the Bay City

Ken Weaver and chef Bean bagged forty-two quail in the mountains west of here Sunday last.

Mrs. J. J. Daughney is here visiting her husband, J. J. Daughney, the new proprietor of the Riverside Saloon.

Bill Chance, who has secured a fine position at the California Home, spent Sunday with his folks in this place.

Dame rumor has it that a chop house and butcher shop will soon be started in this place by parties from San Francisco.

J. P. Serres, Jr., and a friend from San Francisco bagged six coons and twenty-five quail along Sonoma creek last Sunday.

John Algren, the well-known contractor and builder of this place, has just finished the erection of a fine house for Samuel Chase.

Louis Mouyer, our efficient and enterprising Deputy Constable, has been kept busy of late enforcing the game laws in this part of the valley.

O. W. Nordwell, son of O. W. Nordwell, Sr., the well-known merchant tailor of San Francisco, is spending a few days on his father's ranch north of town.

"HAPPY HOOLIGAN."

El Verano, Jan. 11, 1906.

Rain and Crops.

The rain which commenced falling in this valley Thursday was welcomed not only by our farmers and dairymen but by business men in general as the slight rainfall this season has had a depressing effect on all kinds of business interests. However, the rain of the past few days, added to the precipitation of December, will enssure good crops in Sonoma Valley, which can always be depended upon for spring showers in March and April.

Re-Elected County Farmer

The Board of Supervisors on Saturday last re-appointed Louis P. Kearney County Farmer for another year. Dr. S. S. Bogle was also elected County Physicion; G. A. Bailey, gardener; Robt. Arnold and Hiram Dryden, Court House Janitors and Stanley Collister abstractor.

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S. Schocken and O. T. Weber Will Put in Plant and Start Up Industry Soon.

Messrs. Schocken and Weber have ordered a rock crusher from the East and as soon as the machinery arrives the new industry will be started up. Many tons of crushed rock will be turned out daily and the plant will be the means of giving employment to quite a number of men.

Roberts Discusses Chinese Situation.

W. K. Roberts, who has recently returned from China and is at present at his home here on Broadway, announces that he has resigned his position with the Chinese government and will now devote his energy to the agitation of exclusion. Mr. Roberts has for fifteen years been connected with the imperial maritime customs service of China and has written a comprehensive statement of facts as they exist in the empire. He will shortly issue this in pamphlet form and present it to Congress when the matter of Chinese exclusion comes up before that body.

In regard to the yellow peril Roberts says:

"The Chinese menace is a real and a vital issue to-day. The Chinese are capable of overrunning not alone the coast, but the entire country. They are a lower grade of men than white men; they possess a lower order of civilization, and they can exist on a plane where a white man can not. It is a permanent, not a passing question, not only for the United States but for Canada and Mexico. The three powers must work together. As it is, Mexico invites both Chinese and Japanese, while Canada receives Japanese and excludes Chinese. In my opinion, the exclusion must be made to cover all Asiatics. The Chinese themselves would raise no objection if there were no discrimination. The American boycott is still being pressed, and will be as long as the agitation continues for exclusion. Our interests in China are hurt by inefficient consular service. The members of the consular service, as a rule, are old, and know nothing of conditions there. The British consular service, composed of young men who are trained in the language, is far more efficient and secures better results."

Mr. Roberts has divided up his time between the valley and the Far East for several years and recently married a Sonoma girl, Miss Ethel Hunter.

Our Ledger for 1906

The INDEX-TRIBUNE'S ledger for 1906 contains the names of 982 patrons of the paper, most of whom are subscribers.

Saving Coin for County

The Board of Supervisors on Wednesday last ordered the transfer of $32,000 from the general fund of the county to the bond fund, for the purpose of liquidating the entire bonded indebtedness of the county. When this will have been done the county will have saved practically $1500 by the action of the Supervisors.

County Treasurer Murdock has already sent out notifications to the holders of the bonds that he is ready and willing to pay the same on presentation at his office, and after the lapse of a reasonable time will cause interest on them to cease if they are not presented. The amount save on the bonds previously paid by Murdock amounted to more than $1000, and the saving on the second batch will be approximately $500. These are not due until May, but the treasurer can force payment on the holders at the present time.

The money transferred from the general fund at this time will be returned to that fund when the second installment of taxes have been paid. The bonds being taken up are the ones voted in the early seventies for the construction of the San Francisco and North Pacific railroad.

Another order made by the board before adjournment was that $536 be transferred from the rebate fund to the county general fund.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Death of Young Girl

Laura Christina Russell, youngest daughter of Fred and the late Florence Russell, died at her home in San Francisco Monday. Miss Russell was a visitor here this summer and formerly resided at Locust Grove. She was 18 years of age. The father of deceased is connected with the London, Paris and American Bank in San Francisco.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES.

Jas. H. Albertson spent Monday in the city.

G. H. Hotz was a visitor to San Francisco Monday.

Oscar T. Weber was a visitor here on Thursday last.

The Ladies' Aid met at Mrs. Duhring's on Tuesday.

H. Rubke has been confined to his home with typhoid fever.

Dr. Byron was a visitor to the city the fore part of the week.

Joe Ryan, the popular deputy sheriff, has been on the sick list.

Clarence Cheney returned to San Francisco Monday morning.

Judge Small and Fred Bulotti were visitors to Glen Ellen Sunday.

Rudolph Spreckels spent Saturday at his country home, Sobre Vista.

Mrs. Appleton has been sick but is improving under the care of Dr Thomson.

Mrs. Theodor Richards returned Saturday from a week's visit in San Francisco.

Mrs. S. J. Agnew was given a birthday dinner at her Petaluma home this week.

Miss Annie Pemberton is convalescent from her recent attack of nervous prostration.

Miss Amy Engler and Miss Lucy McElroy went to San Francisco Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Norman Hodkingson of San Francisco has been visiting Dr. and Mrs. Thomson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Miner returned to their home Monday evening after a short visit in San Francisco.

Mrs. A. Adler and Mrs. L. Dowdall and Miss Lenore Quartaroli visited San Francisco this week.

Mrs. Robt. Hill has been in San Francisco this week settling up the affairs of her aunt, who died recently.

Miss Edna McElroy has been ill at the home of her parents on Broadway with inflammatory rheumatism.

Richard Bosworth entertained a few friends at dinner Sunday evening at his home, "Stafford Grange."

Mrs. Anderson, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Hotz, has left for her home in Vancouver.

Jack Gottenberg left for Martinez, Contra Costa county, Monday where he has secured employment at the smelter.

Mrs. Palstine has been chosen as a delegate to the Convention of Women's Clubs which convenes shortly in San Jose.

A very enjoyable whist party was given at the Hotz home last night and the invited guests were entertained royally.

George Cassidy has been on the sick list, but is now recovered and was in town Tuesday shaking hands with friends.

Campbell MacQuiddy was one of the star players in the match game of baseball Sunday between Santa Rosa and Petaluma.

Mrs. C. T. Cunningham and little daughter have gone to San Francisco, where they will be the guests for several weeks of Mrs. Cunningham's parents.

C. T. Cunningham, electrician and manager of the Sonoma Valley Company, accompanied his wife and little daughter to the metropolis Monday morning returning in the evening.

Firemen Nominate Officers

The members of the Sonoma Volunteer Fire Company at their regular monthly business meeting Wednesday evening nominated the following officers to serve for another year: President, F. T. Duhring; Chief, J. E. Poppe; First Assistant, G. S. Harris; Second Assistant, Sam Lewis; Foreman Engine, Peter Keil; Foreman Hook and Ladder Truck, Geo. Engler; Foreman Hose Cart, Geo. Breitenbach; Secretary, Jas. H. Albertson; Treasurer, Wm. Clewe.

The election takes place Wednesday evening, February 14th, and will be followed by the usual annual banquet.

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PROFESSOR LOOKS AT FARM SITE.

Wickson and Other Prominent Men go Over Wickersham Ranch Which May Become University Farm.

Professor E. J. Wickson of the University of California, who has been appointed by the University Farm Commission to visit and report on all sites which seem to possess the requirements necessary for agricultural experimental purposes, was in Sonoma Thursday.

Professor Wickson came here with a number of prominent gentlemen, who are interested in the project, to view the Wickersham ranch southwest of town. The property was formerly the old Colonel Rogers place and has quite a history besides being a magnificent piece of property. It has a fine water supply and meets all the other requirements.

Professor Wickson was much pleased with the place and will report on it to the Commission, so Sonoma may yet get the farm, although L. L. Lewis has withdrawn his proposition.

The Wickersham heirs are said to ask $75,000 for the ranch.

Professor Wickson was accompanied by Prof. Major of Berkeley, R. M. Skinner and Thos. Mclay of Petaluma. They were met at the train by a committee of citizens and driven out to the Wickersham place. After viewing the property, the party returned to the Union Hotel where lunch was served.

Carl Dresel furnished some of his finest wines for the occasion The following menu was served:

Soup.
Cream of Celery.
Fish.
Boiled Salmon with Cream Sauce.
Boiled Ham with Jelly.

ENTREES:

Fried Chicken.
Apple Fritters with Lemon Sauce.

ROAST:

Prime Rib au Juice.
Leg of Pork with Apple Sauce.

VEGETABLES:

Sweet Peas. Sugar Corn.
Mashed Potatoes.

BESSERT:

Mince Pie. Apple Pie.
Custard Pudding.
California Fruits. Assorted Cakes.

The party left on the afternoon train.

In connection with the history of the place it is said that much gold lies buried there, so if the State should buy it the School of Mines of the University might be brought up here and enough gold located to more than pay the price now asked for the property.

No Dullness of Business in This

There is much complaint of business being dull since the holidays. THE INDEX-TRIBUNE, however, has no cause to complain, as many new names have been added to our subscription list since the new year, and thanks to our hundreds of patrons, oceans of job work has caused ye editor to take off his coat to help the printers out.

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Brief Items

Henry Burris is here from Traver, the guest of relatives.

There is much sickness in this place, more than has been known in years.

L. Modini has been the guest of his brother D. Modini of Petaluma the past week.

A stone curbing is being laid in front of Keil & Maguire's plumbing establishment on Napa street.

The death of Dr. Geo. Chismore is keenly regretted by many friends in this valley. He was a great friend of the late Dr. H. H. Davis.

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Christmas in Rome.

A characteristic sight which precedes a Roman Christmas is the so called ottio, or sale of fish by auction, which is held at San Teodoro, near the forum, in the small hours of the morning, and every year attracts large crowds of buyers and sightseers. It is a sight worth seeing, the vast circular market literally packed with row upon row of baskets, in which the scaly fry are carefully arranged, the light glancing off their many colored scales in a thousand prismatic reflections, while the owner of each stall shouts at the top of his voice and the merry crowd goes round laughing and bargaining and trying to cheapen the fish, for at Christmastide it often reaches fabulous prices, and one is reminded of the extravagance of the ancient Romans, one of whom is said to have paid 20,000 sesterces for a single gray mullet.—London Mail.

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H. H. GRANICE, Editor.

THE CITY MAN.

His Lot In Life Compared With That of the Farmer.

According to the National Magazine, "men in the cities work twice as hard as the farmers, and they get few or no holidays. Thousands and thousands of professional men, clerks and men in small business enterprises delve and toil their entire lives away and at the end are carted out to the cemeteries without having had any more leisure or enjoyment in their lives than a horse on a treadmill. The rut they toil along in is as narrow as a case knife." This is not the farmer's view of the city man, whom he sees only during vacation, when the city man is taking a brief and much needed rest. The farmer sees him sporting his "glad rags" and mistakenly imagines him to be all the year round only an idle butterfly, consuming the produce of the horny handed son of toil. The truth, it is held, is that the city man, as a rule, is the harder worker and gets much less enjoyment out of life. He longs for the rural scenes and occupations of the farmer; his dearest hope is to get back to the country to spend his last years. A few of the city folks make a big lot of money and get their follies and amusements in the newspapers, but the great majority of city toilers live a very monotonous and stupid as well as a very laborious and poverty stricken life. The farmer, it is concluded, has "the real thing," while the city man has only barren aspirations and disappointments. The contented farmer is not only the wisest but the happiest of mankind.—Baltimore Sun.

SLAVERY IN CHINA.

Savage Cruelty Meted Out For the Most Venial Offenses.

Says an editorial in the Peking Times: "The position of the slave girl in a Chinese home is a very hard one as a rule. These slaves are generally the property of the wife, and no one interferes with the mistress in her treatment of the poor little things, who will as often as not be subjected to the most savage cruelty for most venial offenses. A few weeks ago we recall a case of great hardship being brought into the mixed court, Shanghai, in which a small slave girl had been gagged with a piece of iron and severely beaten because, when half starved, she helped herself to some scraps of food.

"Our attention has now been called to piercing cries which emanate from a house near Canton road and are said to proceed from a little slave girl who for some reason is beaten almost daily with a thick knotted rope, but for what reason is unknown.

"Our informant thinks a word in public, showing that the incident has been noticed, may suffice to check the cruelty without lodging a formal complaint with the municipal police, which might make matters worse for the poor little sufferer in the long run."

The Vocal Cords.

Vocal power depends on the vocal cords. When they are stretched, so narrowing the exit from the air passage, the voice is high pitched. When they are pulled widely asunder the voice is deep. When they are flaccid the voice is nearly lost. Of course, voices vary individually in pitch and resonance, but power is always affected by the state of the general health, and, broadly speaking, loss of nerve tone is more often responsible than anything else for vocal weakness. Fast living, mental strain and similar conditions occasion such impairment of the nervous system. Breathing foul air, especially air saturated with tobacco smoke, is bad for the cords.

Temperature and Butterflies.

Some remarkably interesting experiments are reported from Zurich showing the effect of temperature on the development of species among butterflies. The experiments have been continued through a period of about fourteen years, and it is found, for instance, that the common small tortoise shell butterfly if subjected to warmth of from 37 degrees to 39 degrees centigrade develops into the variety found in Sardinia, while those bred in a temperature of from 4 degrees to 6 degrees produce the Lapland variety. Similarly the application of heat produced the Sardinian form of the swallowtail butterfly and the Syrian form of the Apollo.

The Highest Bedroom.

On the summit of Mont Blanc is the highest bedroom in the world. It was built for Alpinists who have been overtaken by a storm on the summit or have lost their way in the snows. A large camp bed occupies all the floor of the room, and can contain twenty-two persons. Every stick and stone had to be carried up by porters from Chamonix. The work of construction, which lasted two years, was dangerous to the workmen. During its erection the building was demolished twice and filled with snow nine times.

The Peach and the Vegetarian.

"Can't see why you're so smitten with her."

"Why, because she's so deucedly pretty."

"Beauty's only skin deep."

"Well, great Scott! I'm no cannibal. That's deep enough for me."—Cleveland Leader.

A Golden Opportunity.

She—I bought you a shaving set today—razor, strop, mug and everything—such a bargain! He—But, my dear, I don't shave myself. She—Well, can't you learn?—New York Press.

Fooled Her.

"Promise me, Jack, that you will not go to the dogs just because I have refused you."

"Oh, pshaw, of course not."

"You mean thing!"—Life.

MOVED UPSTAIRS.

A Flat Dweller's Change That Was Not Born of Economy.

Within two days after the second floor family moved to the fourth floor their acquaintances were circulating the report that the head of the family had his salary reduced and had moved up two flights to cut down expenses. After that it didn't take long for the man's wife to hear what other people had heard. She indignantly denied the rumor.

"John is all right," she said. "It isn't his fault that we moved upstairs; it's mine. My motive was not at all creditable. I hadn't intended to tell anybody about it, but since John's reputation as a business man is at stake I see I've got to own up. We moved to get even with the family on the third floor. During all those months that we lived below them they tormented the life out of me and my girls by cleaning house on my wash day. They took particular pains with their rugs. The appearance of my newly washed clothes on the line was the signal for them to hang their rugs out of their own back windows and give them a good beating. By the time those rugs were renovated my clothes were ready for the tubs again. Week after week I protested. The janitor's sympathy was finally enlisted in my behalf, but not even he could change the programme for beating those rugs. After suffering at the hands of my enemies for a whole year I determined upon revenge. The only way to get it was to move upstairs. We moved, and now I have the satisfaction of giving their clothes a case of spotted measles by shaking my rugs over them."—New York Press.

A GRISLY SIGHT.

Slaughter of the Baby Seals on the Glittering Ice Floes.

Never shall a man who has once watched the slaughter of a fur seal herd forget the ghastly sight. From the deck of the blunt nosed sealing steamer you can count thousands upon thousands of seal families stretched out on the glistening ice floes, the dark mottled bodies of the adults standing out in high relief against the blue whiteness of their floating homes, while the snow white fur of the baby seal blends almost imperceptibly into the background. Out from the ship, hurrying over the ice, rush nearly 200 men of the crew, each armed with an iron tipped club. From near and far go up the agonized cries of the terrified seals. Flopping along over the ice, the adults rush frantically for the water, doing their best to hurry their young with them.

In most cases their way of escape is cut off by the sealers. With a blow of the iron bound club the skull of the seal pup is crushed, its blood staining the whiteness of the floe, while its parents are allowed to get away in safety.—Technical World Magazine.

No Time to Sort Her Mail.

"The ways of women are beyond the comprehension of mere man," said her companion as after purchasing her stamps at the general postoffice she carried her mail to the nearest post box. "Will you kindly explain why you did that?"

"Simply because I hadn't time to sort my mail into 'Letters, Newspapers and Packages, Foreign, Domestic, New York City' and a few dozen other subdivisions and then walk around that monstrous building to find the proper drops for the various articles," she replied. "It takes time, patience and ingenuity to post anything in the general postoffice, and I don't possess any of those things. Give me the plain, uncomplicated letter box for practical purposes!"

And of course he remarked that that was just like a woman.—New York Press.

Rebuked From the Pulpit.

Preaching in Westminster abbey Canon Wilberforce told a good story of the celebrated Welsh preacher, Christmas Evans, who dared publicly to express his thankfulness for Jenny Lind's beautiful singing. A member of his congregation, a straitlaced Calvinist, standing on the steps of the pulpit, asked the preacher whether a man dying at one of Jenny Lind's concerts would go to heaven. "Sir," replied Mr. Evans, "a Christian will go to heaven wherever he dies, but a fool remains a fool even on the pulpit steps." Even the sober abbey congregation could hardly stifle its enjoyment of this repartee.

Buffon's Chimpanzee.

The English Illustrated Magazine says that "Buffon had a chimpanzee in 1740 which always walked upright, offered people his arm, walked with them in an orderly manner, sat down to table like a man, opened his napkin and wiped his lips with it, made use of spoon and fork, poured out wine and clinked glasses."

Sizing Him Up.

"I believe I can truthfully say," remarked the self complacent man, "that I have only one fault, and that's a small one."

"Yes," replied the candid man. "That's just like the hole in a nickel. It may be a small hole, but it makes the nickel no good."—Philadelphia Press.

Submissive.

"What would you do, Henry," asked Mrs. Johnston, "if burglars got into the house?"

"Do?" replied her husband, "I suppose I would just do what they told me. I've never had my own way in this house yet."

It is often easier to serve two masters than to master two servants.—Philadelphia Record.

QUIT GRUMBLING.

Cease Worrying Over the Inevitable and Court Contentment.

How full the world is of grumblers! Many of the same people who scold in summer because it is warm scold the next winter because it is cold. There is no point between zero and the nineties that suits them. Whether the gray clouds yield rain or snow makes no matter. Neither is wanted. If skies are clear, somebody's cistern needs rain. If the showers descend, somebody's feathers are ruined. It would add much to our happiness and detract much from the fatal tendency to grow old if we would strive after contentment and cease worrying over the inevitable. The truly happy are the happy go lucky, who take everything as it comes and make the best of it.

If it rains, all that is left to do is to put up our umbrella, if we are so fortunate as to have one, and trudge along. Wet feet and bedraggled skirts won't kill any one any more than poverty and drudgery will, if there is something within us too sunshiny for poverty to cloud and too noble for drudgery to debase. The person who spends his life scolding because things don't go to suit him is like the fly on the king's chariot wheel. Things may not be planned exactly for the comfort of the fly, but his protest will never stop the procession. The best tactics for flies and grumblers to pursue is to take what comes along and be glad it is no worse.

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"In my opinion Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best made for colds," says Mrs. Cora Walker of Porterville, California. There is no doubt about its being the best. No other will cure a cold so quickly. No other is so sure a preventive of pneumonia. No other is so pleasant and safe to take. These are good reasons why it should be preferred to any other. The fact is that few people are satisfied with any other after having once used this remedy. For sale by Shoults & Co.

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Surely Not.

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A. B. Canman, Chicago, writes March 4, 1903: "Having been troubled with Lumbago at different times and tried one physician after another, then different ointments and liniments gave it up altogether. So I tried once more, and got a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment, which gave me almost instant relief. I can cheerfully recommend it, and will add my name to your list of sufferers." Sold by L. S. Simmons.

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6.18 AM	6.30 AM	San Francisco	10.25 AM	10.00 AM
3.41 PM	3.36 PM	San Rafael and intermediates	7.20 PM	7.20 PM
10.00 AM	10.25 AM	Glen Ellen	6.30 AM	6.18 AM
7.20 PM	7.20 PM	and intermediates	3.56 PM	3.41 PM
6.18 AM	6.30 AM	Novato	10.25 AM	10.00 AM
3.41 PM	3.36 PM	Petaluma Santa Rosa and intermediates	7.20 PM	7.20 PM
8.18 AM	6.30 AM	Cloverdale Healdsburg Lytton and intermediates	10.25 AM	10.00AM 7.20 PM
3.41 PM	3.36 PM		7.20 PM	
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3.41 PM	3.36 PM	and intermediates	7.20 PM	7.20 PM
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